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Table 1: Economy		2004	2005	2006	2007
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter					
Unemployed persons	no	1 242	820	680	620
Unemployment rate	%	11.8	7.8	6.1	5.5
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June					
Non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	1 828	2 126
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	13.8	17.8
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	7 498	8 403
Taxable individuals	no	-	-	8 585	8 688
Taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	362.3	431.6
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	44 640	49 841
Net tax	\$m	-	-	68.5	87.5
Average net tax	\$	-	-	10 328	11 256
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	23	23
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no	-	-	10 393	10 785
Taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	395.8	448.4
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	38 090	41 872
SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June					
Age Pension - Continual	no	2 624	2 690	2 691	2 703
Age Pension - DVA	no	186	186	186	186
Care Payment	no	176	213	231	256
Disability Support Pension	no	1 391	1 414	1 414	1 384
Age-related Allowance	no	566	565	547	566
Residing Payment - Single	no	803	822	836	760
Youth Allowances	no	880	530	531	431
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	79.8	75.0	77.8	74.8
ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June					
Wage and salary earners	no	8 282	8 500	8 887	9 315
Wage and salary income	\$	387.8	393.8	393.8	403.7
Average wage and salary income	\$	37 160	38 843	40 585	43 338
Own unincorporated business earners	no	846	865	886	889
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	9.4	9.7	12.0	14.7
Average Own unincorporated business income	\$	11 078	11 196	13 551	16 480
Investment earners	no	4 842	4 867	4 887	5 227
Investment income	\$m	13.6	11.8	14.8	16.8
Average investment income	\$	2 248	2 345	2 872	3 739
Superannuation and annuity earners	no	322	322	342	361
Superannuation and annuity income	\$m	3.8	4.2	4.9	5.8
Average Superannuation and annuity income	\$	12 188	13 173	14 246	15 544
Other income earners (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	no	808	881	838	848
Other income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.3
Average other income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$	2 704	2 354	2 637	3 448
Total income (incl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	334.1	357.8	363.6	448.5
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June					
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no	710	775	880	950
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no	1 073	1 013	1 098	1 060
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no	1 311	1 320	1 355	1 403
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no	1 011	1 038	1 085	1 144
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no	580	615	687	685
Males - 65 years and over	no	84	97	104	106
Males - Total	no	4 779	4 862	5 127	5 358
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no	647	708	744	788
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no	815	794	788	825
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no	843	950	987	1 023
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no	720	771	833	875
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no	560	569	597	644
Females - 65 years and over	no	27	31	34	42
Females - Total	no	3 581	3 838	3 740	3 957
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no	1 357	1 487	1 624	1 738
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no	1 888	1 807	1 887	1 885
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no	2 294	2 288	2 352	2 428
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no	1 731	1 808	1 918	2 019
Persons - 55 years to 64 years	no	839	884	1 084	1 069
Persons - 65 years and over	no	111	128	138	148
Persons - Total	no	8 280	8 500	8 887	9 315
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June					
Managers and Administrators	no	844	859	852	886
Professionals	no	1 128	1 136	1 200	1 227
Associate Professionals	no	497	460	493	465
Technicians and Related Workers	no	1 175	1 127	1 140	1 260
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no	124	150	154	93
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	1 014	1 121	1 148	1 256
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no	683	1 000	1 070	1 211
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no	882	918	983	979
Labourers and Related Workers	no	1 188	1 244	1 303	1 260
Not Stated	no	717	728	742	852
Total wage and salary earners	no	8 281	8 497	8 888	9 315
ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 30 June					
Net worth per household	\$1000	202.1	-	-	-
Aggregate household net worth	\$m	1 873.3	-	-	-
Equivalent net worth	\$1000	139.8	-	-	-
Assets per household	\$1000	253.7	-	-	-
Liabilities per household	\$1000	51.8	-	-	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	20.3	-	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS					
Number of Businesses - at 30 June					
Non-employing businesses	no	471	423	438	485
Employing businesses 1 to 4 employees	no	158	174	204	222
Employing businesses 5 to 9 employees	no	146	174	185	196
Total businesses	no	775	771	827	893
Business Entries - year ended 30 June					
Non-employing business entries	no	78	87	84	93
Employing business entries	no	33	39	45	54
Total business entries	no	111	126	129	147
Business Exits - year ended 30 June					
Non-employing business exits	no	114	117	75	72
Employing business exits	no	9	15	35	21
Total business exits	no	123	132	109	93
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June					
Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing	no	33	48	83	86
Mining	no	3	0	0	0
Manufacturing	no	21	21	18	24
Electricity, gas and water supply	no	0	0	0	0
Construction	no	105	96	96	105
Wholesale trade	no	21	24	24	24
Retail trade	no	158	147	147	141
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no	18	27	27	36
Transport and storage	no	87	87	90	105
Communication services	no	8	8	8	0
Finance and insurance	no	18	75	12	68
Property and business services	no	120	114	126	135
Education	no	8	8	3	3
Health and community services	no	60	61	75	75
Cultural and recreational services	no	24	18	15	18
Personal and other services	no	57	54	54	51
Total businesses	no	782	771	807	882
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Table 2: Population and People

		2004	2005
ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	768	767
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	840	815
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	899	890
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	823	841
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	652	681
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	644	651
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	810	762
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	903	886
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	931	958
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	740	772
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	678	666
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	656	678
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	581	561
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	485	498
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	366	372
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	261	269
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	114	125
Males - 85 years and over	no.	89	84
Males - Total	no.	11 240	11 276
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	749	734
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	792	797
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	786	787
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	757	761
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	642	664
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	638	601
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	795	768
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	779	771
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	822	807
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	689	733
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	651	632
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	694	678
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	551	574
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	463	466
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	375	388
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	320	319
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	209	210
Females - 85 years and over	no.	196	204
Females - Total	no.	10 908	10 894
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	1 517	1 501
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1 632	1 612
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	1 685	1 677

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1 580	1 602
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	1 294	1 345
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	1 282	1 252
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	1 605	1 530
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	1 682	1 657
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	1 753	1 765
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	1 429	1 505
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	1 329	1 298
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	1 350	1 356
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	1 132	1 135
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	948	964
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	741	760
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	581	588
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	323	335
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	285	288
Persons - Total	no.	22 148	22 170

POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June

Population density	persons/km2	-	-
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ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006

Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-

SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Cer

Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-

OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006

Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-

HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006

Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-

FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006

Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-

INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006

Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006

Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006

Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-

UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-

ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006

Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-

BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December

Births	no.	308	321
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Total fertility rate	rate	2.0	2.1
Deaths	no.	165	164
Standardised death rate	rate	7.5	7.4

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2006	2007	2008
772	771	825
817	815	800
891	888	856
864	869	877
695	748	792
661	711	741
729	705	680
899	930	962
968	945	909
814	859	883
683	697	738
701	675	655
535	568	596
523	529	514
369	392	404
286	285	282
134	147	163
71	67	76
11 412	11 601	11 753
734	765	837
776	771	768
797	780	731
728	724	725
684	711	733
601	649	671
747	699	680
784	822	814
783	775	768
765	777	779
638	647	666
647	618	621
583	612	600
487	501	511
376	377	382
324	320	318
204	218	222
217	222	222
10 875	10 988	11 048
1 506	1 536	1 662
1 593	1 586	1 568
1 688	1 668	1 587

1 592	1 593	1 602
1 379	1 459	1 525
1 262	1 360	1 412
1 476	1 404	1 360
1 683	1 752	1 776
1 751	1 720	1 677
1 579	1 636	1 662
1 321	1 344	1 404
1 348	1 293	1 276
1 118	1 180	1 196
1 010	1 030	1 025
745	769	786
610	605	600
338	365	385
288	289	298
22 287	22 589	22 801

-	-	22.1
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3.8	-	-
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0.7	-	-
16.3	-	-
2.5	-	-
0.1	-	-
0.7	-	-
0.2	-	-
0.3	-	-
0.2	-	-
0.7	-	-
21.7	-	-

5.3	-	-
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0.6	-	-
0.7	-	-
5.7	-	-
3.9	-	-
21.4	-	-
12.6	-	-
45.0	-	-

8.9	-	-
13.6	-	-
17.9	-	-
9.5	-	-
11.1	-	-
9.3	-	-

12.4	-	-
15.0	-	-
2.2	-	-
2 710	-	-
201	-	-
5 639	-	-
8 550	-	-
1 866	-	-
393	-	-
2 171	-	-
918	-	-
277	-	-
58	-	-
5 683	-	-
17 024	-	-
2 832	-	-
11 684	-	-
6 561	-	-
0.0	-	-
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100.0	-	-
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0.0	-	-
0.0	-	-
98.6	-	-
0.0	-	-
1.4	-	-
23.3	-	-
22.4	-	-
9.3	-	-
1.3	-	-
12.4	-	-
30.1	-	-
18.3	-	-
0.7	-	-
49.0	-	-
286	340	328

2.2	2.3	2.3
139	168	194
7.0	7.0	7.2



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Table 3: Industry

		2004	2005
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June			
Private sector houses	no.	21	43
Total dwelling units	no.	57	59
Value of private sector houses	\$m	2.8	6.8
Value of new residential building	\$m	9.0	8.6
Value of total residential building	\$m	10.6	11.3
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	2.8	2.8
Value of total building	\$m	13.4	14.0
Average value of private sector houses	\$'000	135.3	158.1
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March			
Number by type of vehicle			
Passenger vehicles	no.	10 568	10 721
Campervans	no.	65	64
Light commercial vehicles	no.	1 752	1 784
Light rigid trucks	no.	53	60
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	175	180
Articulated trucks	no.	19	23
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	12	14
Buses	no.	51	60
Motorcycles	no.	659	685
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	13 354	13 591
Rate per 1,000 population			
Passenger vehicles	no.	477	484
Campervans	no.	3	3
Light commercial vehicles	no.	79	80
Light rigid trucks	no.	2	3
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	8	8
Articulated trucks	no.	1	1
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	1	1
Buses	no.	2	3
Motorcycles	no.	30	31
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	603	613
Age of vehicle			
Less than 5 years old	no.	2 139	2 260
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	3 018	3 168
10 years or older	no.	7 995	7 972
Number by type of fuel			
Petrol	no.	12 411	12 572

Diesel	no.	793	881
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	150	139

GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION * - year ended 30 June

Gross value of crops	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	\$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	\$m	-	-

AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June

Total area

Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-

Total number

Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS



2006	2007	2008
54	102	147
57	119	166
8.9	18.2	27.7
9.1	20.5	31.1
11.8	24.3	36.1
8.6	11.6	12.1
20.4	35.9	48.1
164.8	178.1	188.4
11 190	11 468	10 251
58	68	62
1 896	2 042	1 851
66	73	69
188	220	209
28	35	30
12	14	14
66	76	72
724	829	694
14 228	14 824	13 251
502	508	450
3	3	3
85	90	81
3	3	3
8	10	9
1	2	1
1	1	1
3	3	3
32	37	30
638	656	581
2 510	2 859	2 204
3 291	3 407	3 188
8 238	8 388	7 736
13 074	13 489	11 981

1 003	1 173	1 123
151	163	147
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Table 4: Environment and Energy

		2004	2005
LAND AREA			
Land area	km2	-	-
WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS			
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-	-
Total water use	ML	-	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-	-

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2006	2007	2008
-	-	1 032.5
43	-	-
0	-	-
0	-	-
13	-	-
13	-	-
0.0	-	-